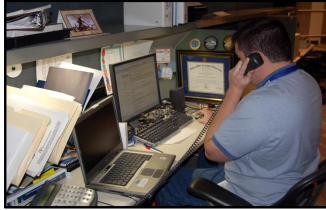


Eyes and Ears on KY — What Is It?

1-866-393-6659 is an anonymous telephone tip line enabling anyone to report suspicious activity as well as items that logically might pose a threat to individuals, community or the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Calling **1-866-393-6659** connects you to the Kentucky Intelligence Fusion Center.



Your information will be reviewed and then forwarded quickly to the appropriate response agency, or because of details provided, to an intelligence specialist for further analysis.

How It Affects You

Enhancing the security and safety of our state is a primary mission of the Kentucky Office of Homeland Security. The tip line is *your* way of participating in an important cause designed to prevent or reduce prospects of terrorism, ordinary crimes and other illegal acts.

If you become aware of something that could realistically jeopardize any part of your community, please report it to **1-866-393-6659** without delay. In doing so, injury, loss of lives, and unlawful destruction can be avoided.

Be as accurate and specific as possible. Study the guidelines elsewhere in this pamphlet. And thank you in advance for being a good citizen who looks out for the best interest of family, friends and neighbors!

Eyes and Ears on KY and the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's "**If You See Something, Say Something**" program jointly encourage reporting of what should cause concern to an alert, vigilant citizen. Let's help protect each other.

Suspicious Activity/Item

Suspicious activity is human action reasonably indicating the *possibility* of an immediate or future unsafe event. It also can be the detection of something irregular (or a strange item) within an area, which appears "out of place," or potentially harmful if not investigated professionally.

Something irregular can be an improvised explosive device, vehicle in odd location, unattended luggage/package, a person wearing clothing unusual for the season, and open door/window normally closed and locked or other out of the ordinary situations.

Behaviors

Eliciting Information — Questioning individuals at a level beyond mere curiosity about particular facets of a facility's or building's purpose, operations, security procedures, etc., that would arouse suspicion.

Photography — Taking pictures or video of facilities, buildings, or infrastructure in a manner that would arouse wariness. Examples include taking pictures or video of infrequently used access points, personnel performing security functions (patrols, badge/vehicle checking, security-related equipment (perimeter fencing, security cameras), etc. All reporting on photography should be done within the totality of the circumstances.

Observation/Surveillance — Look for unusual attention to facilities and other infrastructure beyond mere casual or professional (e.g., engineers) interest. A reasonable person would consider the activity suspicious. Examples include observation through binoculars, taking notes, attempting to measure distance, etc.

Helpful Information

Accurate information is essential when you report suspicious activity. To assist the Eyes and Ears on KY program, please provide as much of the following as possible:

Incident type: Exactly what have you observed that concerns you and why?

Location and time of your observance: Happening now or is this a delayed report? Exactly where is this occurring or when did it occur?

Description of all involved: Approximate age, sex, height, weight, race, clothing, identifying marks (tattoos, scars, etc.) and accent.

Activity description: Did suspect run (give direction), leave by vehicle (type) or remains on scene?

Description of peculiar or hazardous object: What is it (size, shape, color)? Does it make a noise, emit an odor, have chemical labels or other printed matter on it? Is it familiar but found in a peculiar location?

Personal Descriptions to Observe

